

John W. McCormack – Federal Building U. S. Department of Education – Federal Student Aid Boston (Region I) Training Facility 5 Post Office Square, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Suite 900, Boston, Massachusetts 02109-2931

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday 6:00am to 6:00pm

RTF Coordinator: 617-289-0133

The *John W. McCormack* – Federal Building public entrance to the building is on **Congress Street**. Visitors entering the building must pass through security systems. All belongings will be x-rayed. Employees with a federal ID card may enter either on Congress or Devonshire Streets.

#### **SUBWAY**



http://www.gsa.gov/graphics/regions/McCormack.pdf

The John W. McCormack – Federal Building is just a short walk from all four MBTA <a href="https://www.mbta.com">www.mbta.com</a> Subway Lines. It's centrally located in Post Office Square in downtown Boston. Access is within walking distance from numerous MBTA stops. The Red (Park Street or Downtown Crossing), Orange (Downtown Crossing or State Street), Green (Park or Gov Center) and the Blue (State Street) lines all have stops within the vicinity of the building.

The closest stop to the building is the State Street stop on the Blue & Orange lines. Exit on Devonshire Street.

South Station is less than half a mile away. North Station is less than a mile away. A bicycle storage room is also available for your convenience.

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Please visit the MBTA Website <a href="www.mbta.com">www.mbta.com</a> for complete schedules and station information.

**Bus Routes** #92, 93, 459, 7, 504, 553, and 558, among others, are easily accessible from **John W. McCormack – Federal Building.** Also, South Station is less than half a mile away, offering long distance bus service to Cape Cod, New Hampshire, New York and points beyond.

Bus Stops are located on Franklin Street, Milk Street, Devonshire Street, Washington Street, Federal Street, Otis Street, and Summer Street – all of which are within easy walking distance from John W. McCormack – Federal Building.

### **Driving Directions to the building.**

<u>From Logan Airport:</u> Exit the airport and merge onto I-90 W/Mass Pike/Massachusetts Turnpike/Ted Williams Tunnel. Take Exit 24 Toward I-93. Merge onto I-93 N/US-1N/MA-3N/Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. Tunnel. Take Exit 23 toward Government Center. Turn slight left to take the Government Center ramp toward Faneuil hall/Financial District/Aquarium. Turn slight right onto North Street, Turn left onto Congress Street and continue straight to 5 Post Office Square. The John W. McCormack building will be on your right across from the small park.

*From Back Bay*: Turn right onto Beacon Street. Beacon Street becomes School Street. Turn left onto Washington Street. Turn right onto Water Street. Turn right onto Congress Street/Post Office Square. The John W. McCormack building is on your immediate right with a small park across the street.

From the West: Take Mass Pike (1-90) East. Go through the Weston tolls, take Exit 24 A-B-C on the Left toward I-93S/Quincy/South Station/I-93 N/Concord NH. Take the 24C-B exit, on the Left. Merge onto I-93 N/US-1 N/MA-3 N/Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. Tunnel via Exit 24B toward Concord NH. Inside the O'Neill Tunnel take Exit 23 toward Government Center. Turn slight left to take the Government Center ramp toward Faneuil Hall/Financial District/Aquarium. Turn slight right onto North Street. Turn Left onto Congress Street and continue straight to 5 Post Office Square. The John W. McCormack Building will be on your right across from the small park.

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Driving Directions (Cont'd)

<u>From Rhode Island and South</u>: Take Interstate 95N to Interstate 93N to Boston. Enter Thomas P. O'Neill Tunnel. Take Exit 23 toward Government Center. Turn slight left to take the Government Center ramp toward Faneuil Hall/Financial District/Aquarium. Turn slight right onto North Street. Turn left onto **Congress Street** and continue

straight to 5 Post Office Square. The John W. McCormack Building will be on your right across from the small park.

From New Hampshire and North: Take Interstate 93S across the Leonard Zakim Bridge and into the Thomas P. O'Neill Tunnel. Inside the tunnel, take the RT-1A exit, Exit 24B-A toward Airport/Government Center. Stay right taking Exit 24-A toward Government Center and right onto Clinton Street. Turn left onto North Street. Turn left onto Congress Street and continue straight to 5 Post Office Square. The John W. McCormack building will be on your right across the small park.

From Eastern New Hampshire and Northeastern Massachusetts: Take Interstate 95S to Route 1 South. Follow Route 1 across the Tobin Bridge and merge onto I-93 S/US-1 S into the Thomas P. O'Neill Tunnel. Inside the tunnel, take the RT-1A exit, Exit 24B-A toward Airport/Government Center. Stay right taking Exit 24-A toward Government Center and turn right onto Clinton Street. Turn left onto North Street. Turn left onto Congress Street and continue straight to 5 Post Office Square. The John W. McCormack Building will be on your right across from the small park.

### **Building Amenities:**

Cafeteria  $-3^{rd}$  floor (McCormack Café) Hours of operation: 6:45am - 2:45pm

Telephone: 617-292-4646 Monday to Friday

Hot Breakfast: 7:00 am – 10:30 am Lunch: 11:00am – 2:30 pm

Health Unit  $-3^{rd}$  Floor Hours of operation: 7:30 am -4:00 pm

Telephone: 617-412-4456 Monday to Friday

*Fitness Center*  $- 3^{rd}$  *Floor Hours of operation:* 6:00 am - 7:00 pm

Telephone: 617-918-1744 Monday to Friday

*Hanscom Federal Credit Union*  $-3^{rd}$  *Floor Hours of operation:* 7:30 am -3:30pm

Telephone: 617-412-4869 Monday to Friday

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# Other Amenities close by:

- Angell Memorial Park is immediately opposite the front doors on Congress Street.
- Across the street from the John W. McCormack building is a Dunkin Donuts on Milk Street and next to it, on the corner of Congress and Milk Street, is the C V S Pharmacy store.
- The post office is on Milk Street on the right of the building.
- Faneuil Hall Marketplace is to the left and down a few blocks of the building.

- Shopping at Downtown Crossing is just out the doors to Devonshire Street; turn left and go right onto Milk Street and up a few blocks.

Restaurants.		
Cosi	14 Milk Street	(617) 426-7565
J. Pace & Son	One Federal Street	(617) 556-8253
Elephant & Castle	161 Devonshire Street	(617) 350-9977
Pizzeria Rico	32 Bromfield Street	(617) 423-7426
Qdoba Mexican Grille	62 Summer Street	(617) 357-0791
Transportation Services.		
TAXI		
Red White Cab		(617) 536-5010
Town Taxi		(617) 536-5000
LIMO/CHAUFFEUR		
Boston Chauffeur		(617) 927-5466
		www.bostonchauffeur.com
Ultimate		(800) 439-4390
		www.ultimatelivery.com
AIRPORT		
Knights Airport Limo Service		800-822-5456
		www.knightsairportlimo.com

<u>Parking</u>. There's **NO** parking in the John W. McCormack – Federal Building. However, you may park at the following parking locations that are just within walking distance to the Federal Student Aid office.

#### **Garage at Post Office Square**

Tel 617.423.1430

Garage At Post Office Square Zero Post Office Square Boston, MA 02109

From Points South From I-93 North, take Exit 23 (Government Center). Take immediate left off the exit onto John F. Fitzgerald Surface Rd/Purchase Street. Continue on Purchase Street. Take a right onto Pearl Street. (Pearl Street is clearly marked with a street sign.) After the second set of lights/Franklin Street intersection, the entrance to the Garage will be immediately on the left.

From Points North. From I-93 South, take Exit 23, bearing right off the exit onto Purchase Street. At the second light, make a right onto Pearl Street. (Pearl Street is clearly marked with a street sign.) After the second set of lights/Franklin Street intersection, the entrance to the Garage will be immediately on the left.

From Points West/Mass Pike (Interstate 90). Follow the Massachusetts Turnpike (I-90 East) into Boston. Take Exit 24B to I-93 North to Exit 23, (Government Center). Take immediate left off the exit onto John F. Fitzgerald Surface Road/Purchase Street. Continue on Purchase Street. Take a right onto Pearl Street. (Pearl Street is clearly marked with a street sign.) After the second set of lights/Franklin Street intersection, the entrance to the Garage will be immediately on the left.

From Logan Airport via Ted Williams Tunnel. Take the I-90 West/The Ted Williams Tunnel and take Exit 24 onto I-93 North. From I-93 North, take Exit 23 (Government Center). Take immediate left off the exit onto John F. Fitzgerald Surface Rd/Purchase Street. Continue on Purchase Street. Take a right onto Pearl Street. (Pearl Street is clearly marked with a street sign.) After the second set of lights/Franklin Street intersection, the entrance to the Garage will be immediately on the left.

### Parking Garage Access



Garage at Post Office Square – Zero Post Office Square, Boston, MA

Tel 617-204-9268

# 33 Arch Street Parking Garage.

33 Arch Street Boston, MA 02110





### Airport, Hotels, and Services.

**Logan International Airport** serves the Boston area. You can reach the RTF from Logan Airport by public transportation or by car. See the driving directions from the airport.

#### **Local Hotels**

## **Near the Airport:**

- Hilton Logan (617) 569-9300
- Harborside Hyatt (617) 568-1234
- Ramada Inn Logan Airport (617) 569-9300

### Within walking distance of the RTF:

- Holiday Inn Government Center (617) 742-7630 Omni Parker House
- (617) 227-8600
- Shawmut Inn (617) 720-5544

**Important Note:** Due to the large number of participant requests for lodging information, we are offering the names and phone numbers of local hotel and motel sites to assist you in making your travel arrangements while staying in the Boston area. Our listings are not all-inclusive, and no endorsement by the U.S. Department of Education should be inferred.

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